

## NOTE II.

## TWO NEW SPECIES OF LAMPYRIDÆ

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1. *Vesta urens*, sp. n.

Nigro-fumosa, opaca; prothorace, corpore infra, coxis et trochanteribus rufis, scutello (maris) infuscato, pedibus nigris. — Long. 10 millim. ♂.

*Mas*, antennis flabellato-pectinatis, prothorace antice sinuato-producto; abdominis segmento ultimo ventrali medio mucronato.

*Hab.* Borneo (S. Müller); ♀? Sumatra (Ludeking, S. Müller).

So closely resembling the species described by me as *V. sumatrensis* (Notes from the Leyden Mus. Vol. IV. p. 102) that it will be sufficient to call attention to the yellow body. The specimens from Sumatra have the scutellum yellow, and may perhaps not be distinct from *V. sumatrensis*, but the male from Borneo I have little doubt is so. It is a more elongate, and more opaque insect. From small specimens of *Cratolampis* (*Pyrocælia*) *rufiventris* Motsch. the pectinate antennæ, as well as the thorax without translucent areolets amply distinguish this species.

2. *Luciola laticollis*, sp. n.

Nigro-fuscus, subnitidus; capite nigro, crebre punctato; prothorace brevi, transverso, ferrugineo, disco late nigro, valde convexo, canaliculato; elytris piceis, limbo toto tenuissime flavo; scutello pallido. Abdomine plumbeo, segmentis duobus ultimis albidis. — Long. 6—6½ millim. ♂. ♀.

*Hab* Java: Bodjonegoro (Piepers).

I cannot find a description of any species of *Luciola* from Java, which could at all accord with this little insect. It is most like some of the African species such as *L. caffra*, *L. Dregei*. The broad punctured thorax with a large, but variable, black discoidal patch, and the leaden black elytra with narrow pale margins will sufficiently distinguish it. The legs are pale with dark tarsi, and the anterior tibiae are also dark. I have seen seven specimens of this: five ♂, and two ♀. The females have the thoraces wider and even more convex than the males.

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## CHANGE OF NAME IN THE LAMPYRIDAE.

I propose to call *Luciola affinis* Gorham, Trans. Ent. Soc. London. 1880. p. 101, n°. 3 (*nec* Ritsema, Tijdschr. v. Entom. XVIII (1875). p. 129, n°. 10): *Luciola Gorhami*.

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